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THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB INC

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(1950 — 1951)

Minutes of the Meeting of 7 September 1950

THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS' CLUB, INC.

The meeting was called to order by President Zolin at 2017.

Minutes of the 25 May meeting were read and approved.

Communications were read by the Secretary.

New members who joined the club during the Summer months were announced, but none were present.

Reports were received from the membership, contest, roster, technical, field day, and program committees. It was announced that Harry Harrison, W9LLX, of Motorola, Inc. will speak at the meeting of 21 September.

Travis Baird made a motion to post a notice of the discussion of ARRL License Manual which will be held at future meetings. The motion was withdrawn.

Mr. Crapo made a suggestion to send out program notices on postal cards.

President Zolin announced that the code class will be held from 7-8 PM preceeding each meeting. W9PTE, W9LVR, and W9STE will conduct the classes.

President Zolin reported on the Civil Defense and Disaster Committee meetings.

The Hamateur Chatter committee was announced as Jim Fischer, Ellis Saxton, and Sid Rose.

Charles Kaetel moved to appoint Charles Meyer as custodian of the ash trays. Seconded by Ellis Saxton.

Charles Kaetel, W9SNK, made a report on the Mobile Wing activities. (Report attached)

Emil Felber reported that the MRAC picnic cost $72.23, and that about 200 ~~members~~ people attended.

President Zolin reported on correspondence he had with WTMJ-TV regarding a TV program featuring amareur radio.

Central Division Director Doyle introduced Eddie Gazernik of South Africa.

Doyle presented proposals of the Shorewood Opportunity School to give classes in Code and theory concerning amateur radio. A letter was turned over to President Zolin.

Ellis Saxton mentioned the Radio Badges of the Boy Scouts, and suggested that they be contacted.

Secretary Wille read a bulletin from the U. of Wis., Milw. Ex. Div., regarding TV classes to be held.

Code classes over the air were suggested by Doug Kluge.

The members in attendence stood in memory of deceased club members Armon Schultz and John Wilkinson.

Jack Doyle commented on FCC elevations of amateurs on their staff, and on Docket 9295. He also mentioned status of amateurs in any future war. Mobiles, antennas, etc. should be discussed by the technical committee, according to Doyle.

John Scarvaci made a motion to adjourn at 2155.
Seconded by

Attendence: 55 members, 5 visitors

Respectfully submitted.....

Eugene A. Wille
W9EKV

Secretary, MRAC

Accepted
9/14/50
EAW

REPORT OF MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS' CLUB MOBILE COMMITTEE Sept 7 1950

Just exactly one month ago tonight we held the first meeting of our new Mobile branch of the Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club, inviting to that meeting as many of the mobile operators of this community as we were aware of. If any were overlooked it has not been intentional and if they will make themselves known to our Mobile Committee we will see that they are included in all future programsmof the Mobile Wing.

In addition to my-self (Kaetel) as Chairman, our committee includes:

Douglas Pavek	W 9 F D X
Bob Bohmann	W 9 I Z H
Jack Pettigrew	W 9 Q E Z
Louie Wollaeger	W 9 A N A .

Milwaukee's Mayor Zeidler, The Milwaukee Civil Defense and Disaster Committee, the Engineering heads of the Police Radio Communications Misters Waring and Barnes, are all desirous of procuring the services of amateur mobile units in their civil defense plans and so we have set about organizing our Milwaukee Mobiles for such emergency services. Immediately it was obvious that a monthly or bi-monthly drill would not be enough activity to justify the average amateur installing a mobile in his car and so we have suggested a better-balanced program to include events on the social side as picnics, transmitter hunts, participation in sporting and civic events.

Any Mobiler who is present and has not yet signed our Pledge to assist and participate in our program can do so right now.

To date we have held two meetings for the mobile group and several

Committee meetings. We have participated in the Sentinel Soap Derby. On next Sunday morning, Sept 10th, at 10 A.M., we will have a drill or meeting on the air. Our key stations for this operation will transmitt on 10 but we will call on stations in the 10, 20 and 80 meter bands to report-in. When additional bands are opened by some of our members getting on them we will include them in our activities. On Sunday afternoon a group of the mobiles who are going to the Ground Hog Party at Watertown will meet at 106th and West Wisconsin Avenue at 1:15 P.M., to travel to Watertown in a group. Watertown's Erv, W 9 Q H R has promised to provide us with ten and eighty meter contacts enroute. On Sunday morning, the 17th, the mobiles will meet at the Courthouse for pictures. On Sunday afternoon, Oct 1st, we will participate in a mamouth three hour Community Chest Parade. Regular communications practice drills will be started shortly and a transmitter hunt--picnic are in the planning. On next Monday evening Sept 11th at 9 P.M., a group of ten-meter mobiles will be spaced between Milwaukee and the Illinois State Line where W 9 H I F will originate a message to be relayed to Milwaukee and a reply sent back to him.

SEPT. 21 W9LLX HARRY HARRISON
SEPT. 24 PARADE PREP.

All radio stations in this Country are licensed in the public interest, amateur stations included. Amateur organizations such as the Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club and our Mobile organizationsrecognize the obligations of their members and are generally anxious to cooperate in any possible way with the community. In the case of our Mobile Group our communications drills are open to participation by any mobile operator whether he is a member of the Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club or not!

Of course our social type events are limited to our Club members. Most of the mobiles in this are are operated by Club members and other mobile operators desiring to get as much pleasure out of their stations as is possible will find it very desirable to become members.

Now there are a couple of fellows going around telling other amateurs that membership in the Club is a requirment to taking part in our emergency communications drills and plans. Nothing is further from the truth. Sadly enough the fellows spreading these rumors are members of this Club and their purpose is easily speculated.

M. R. A. C.
MOBILE COMITTEE
By Jas. Chas. Kattel, Chairman

Minutes of the Meeting of 14 September 1950

THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS' CLUB, INC.

The meeting was called to order by President Zolin at 2030.

The minutes of the September 7 meeting were read and approved.

The treasurer reported a cash balance of $350.56.

President Zolin reported on communications received by him.

A letter to President Zolin from Bob Harkness, W9GZR, regarding the Club generator was read by the Secretary. Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, offered to buy the generator if the Club wanted to sell it, and use it at the Milwaukee Amateur Radio Emergency Corps.

Names of new members were read. Walter Burke, W9JCW, responded and was interrogated by W9GIL.

President Zolin introduced Paul Hoecher, W9NQH, formerly W7NQH.

The various committee reports were received. They included the program, mobile, and code class committees. A discussion followed concerning the Civil Defense and Disaster Committee and the mobile operators part.

Clarence Wahner, W9YYY, mentioned the Club code machine now residing at the Red Cross.

A Ground Hog Party report was made by Tom Getteman, W9IZQ.

Band reports were received on 2, 10, 20, 40, and 80 meters. Fred Zolin, W9ONY, related his experiences with his 10 meter beam on 20 meters.

Tom Gettelman reported on his mobile installation.

Will Price, W9NVQ, moved to adjourn at 2145. Seconded by John Scarvaci, W9GIL.

40 members, 7 visitors present.

Respectfully submitted....

Eugene A. Wille

Eugene A. Wille, W9EKU

Secretary, MRAC

Audited 9/21/50

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THE MILWAUKEE RADIO

The meeting was called to or
Zolin.

The minutes of the September
accepted.

On-the-air code classes to be conducted by Jim Ott, W9LCD, were announced. The MRAC code equipment will be used. Time and days to be announced later.

FCC exams were announced. Commercial exams on Thursday, Oct. 12, and amateur exams on Friday, Oct. 13.

A letter received by Fred Zolin from a woman who had a message delivered to her via amateur radio was mentioned. She wished to contact the ham who delivered the message.

President Zolin introduced Harry Harrison, W9LLX, of Motorola, Inc., Chicago. Harry gave an excellent talk on emergency operations and the part of the ham in such activities.

President Zolin announced the resignation of Secretary Eugene Wille, W9EKU.

New members interrogated were W9NQH, Paul Hoecher, and W9EAN, Steve Potyandy.

Stanley Smith, HH5SS, was introduced by Director Jack Doyle.

A mobile committee report was presented by W9SNK, Charlie Kaetel.

W9LLX elaborated on the Milwaukee-Chicago-Whiting, Ind. mobile relay to be conducted. He also described his mobile equipment, the new Motorola three band transmitter, and gave thoughts on future mobile equipment.

Free ads for MRAC members were announced by President Zolin to be printed in Hamateur Chatter. Ads should be sent to Sid Rose at 5520 W. Wells St.

Charles Meyer moved to adjourn at 2155, seconded by Harold Darnell.

65 members, 13 visitors present.

Respectfully submitted.....

Gene Wille

Eugene A. Wille, W9EKU, Secty.

accepted 9/28/50 L.G.T.

Milwaukee Journal

Friday, September 22, 1950 7

Washington makes stops at Detroit, Cleveland and Pittsburgh.

Radio 'Ham' Is Called Vital Link in Defense

The amateur radio "ham" is an extremely vital link in civil defense, members of the Milwaukee Amateur Radio club were told Thursday night at the conference room of the public library.

Harry Harrison, Chicago, a Motorola, Inc., representative and member of the Chicagoland Mobile Radio club, said that radio amateurs, police and firemen would be the first men to go in to a bombed city to provide an emergency link of communications. About 125 persons attended.

"Civil defense plans now are in an uneven state over the nation," Harrison said. "But that in itself is a healthy sign. It shows that people are thinking about the problem. Milwaukee's radio amateurs have made a name for themselves over the county through their efforts in civil defense."

Minutes of the Meeting of Sept. 28, 1950

THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS CLUB, INC.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Zolin, at 2030.

The minutes of the Sept. 21st meeting were read and accepted.

President Zolin announced the Red Feather Drive parade would have space for mobile rigs. He asked for 12 mobile units which will be used to establish communications at various points to organize the the parade, also participate in it.

Norm Kohne, W9SKF, made a report on the Milwaukee-Chicago-Whiting, Ind., mobile relay. He complimented the fellows on delivering the 2nd message almost 100% correct.

Pres. Zolin announced invitation from I.R.E. to Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club members to hear Marvin Camras, Illinois Institute of Technology, speak on Tuesday, Oct. 24th, 7:30 P.M., at the Wis. Telephone Co. auditorium, Broadway Exchange building. His topic will be "experiments in high fidelity sounds".

Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, held a "spell-down" examination with members and visitors present. Questions were taken from the A.R.R.L. LICENSE MANUAL ~~question and answer book~~. for class B examination.

Roger Ponto, W9FNC, moved to adjourn at 2155, seconded by Howard Timm.

38 members and 5 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr, W9HDW, Secy.

accepted - Oct 5th - LGT

Minutes of the meeting Oct. 5th, 1950

THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEUR CLUB, INC.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Zolin at 2030.

The minutes of the Sept. 28th meeting were read and accepted.

Russ Burss, W9 RKP, interrogated LUTHER LORANCE , new ASSOCIATE member.

Pres. Zolin introduced James K Douglas, W9DR, gave a very interesting talk on his recent trip to Korea, and his experiences while with the Naval Task Fleet during the invasion of Inchon.

Russ Burss announced a Ham in Germany, E9S4AX, to whom the club donated a handbook, was in contact with two Hams in Madison, Wis. He would like to talk to some of the Milwaukee boys.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, announced Doug Pavek, W9FDX, will hold a mobile roll call next Sunday morning, Oct 8th, at ten A.M., on all three bands./Roll call will also be made every Monday night at 9 P.M.
Mobile

Russ Burss moved to adjourn meeting at 2157, seconded by Joe Dzidzan.

44 members and 8 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

accepted Oct 12th - L.G.T.

Minutes of the Meeting Oct 12th, 1950.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club, Inc,

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 P.M. by Pres. Zolin.

Pres. Zolin dispensed with the reading of the minutes and introduced Fire Chief Wischer, Deputy Director of the Milwaukee Civil Defense and Disaster Committee. He gave a very inspiring talk on the necessity of Civil Defense preparation in the City of Milwaukee. He told us our organization is an important branch in their plan.

The minutes of the Oct. 5th meeting were read and accepted.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, interrogated Will Herzog, a new associated member.

John Scarvaci, W9GIL, interrogated Ambrose Guriel, new associated member.

Doug Pavek, W9FDX, acting Chairman MRAC Mobile Committee, announced there will be a roll call and message handling drill on all bands, Sunday Oct 15th, at ten A.M. on the net Control band, 29.640 MC.

George Ruger, W9VWG, also Alderman in the City of Milwaukee, was introduced by Pres. Zolin. He elaborated on Fire Chief Wischer's talk, and emphasized on the importance of being prepared for bombing raids.

John Scarvaci, W9GIL, announced a meeting with the I.R.E., at a future date, with Frank G. Karioris as guest speaker. Mr.Karioris will talk on the Geiger-Mueller Counter tubes and circuits.

Travis Baird announced a meeting at his home on Oct. 13th to discuss next years field day.

Pres. Zolin introduced our Club's youngest hams, Dick, W9LIC, and John, W9LFP. Both boys are 14 years of age.

John Scarvaci moved to adjourn meeting at 941 P.M., seconded by Gene Wille, W9EKU. Motion carried

47 members, 8 visitors, present.

Respectfully Submitted,

Les Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

accepted Oct 5th

Minutes of the Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club Inc meeting, Oct 19th, 1950.

Held in the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

The meeting was called to order by Vice-Pres. Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, Pres. Zolin absent.

The minutes of the Oct. 12th meeting were read and accepted.

George Pfister Jr.,W9IZQ, speaking for Doug Kluge, chairman of the contest committee, announced there would be a ten meter contest on Sunday, Oct 29th beginning at ten PM. Contest open to all Hams in Milwaukee County, members of M.R.A.C., and non-members. Hams outside of Milw. County may also participate. Information and log sheets will be mailed to all hams.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, announced the Sunday morning Mobile drill, asking all mobile units to participate.

Tommy Gettelman, W9IZO, made a report on the progress made by the M.R.A.C. Board of Directors in purchasing a mobile unit and equipment. He announced an International truck LM-120 had been purchased. Discussions were held following this report.

Vice-Pres. Wollaeger made a report on a meeting which he, Pres. Zolin, and John Scarvaci had with Clarence Wahner, Wis.S.E.C., Ralph Koenig, Milw County E.C., and Joseph Blair Jr. The purpose of this meeting was to attempt to consolidate the M.R.A.C. and M.E.R.A.C. emergency units. An emergency unit committee was formed at this meeting, consisting of Ralph Koenig, Chairman, Clarence Wahner, Gil Hutchinson, and Pres. Fred Zolin as members.

Vice-Pres Wollaeger announced the showing of the movies taken during the Community Drive parade, which will be held at the Red Arrow Club on Broadway, between Mason and Wells Streets on Oct 25th at 8:15 P.M. All Hams invited.

Vice-Pres Wollaeger also announced af a lecture to be given on "various aspects of audio amplifiers, to be held at the Wis. Telephone Co., Broadway building auditorium on

Vice-Pres Wollaeger introduced Gil Rink, who had not been present at the Club meetings for a considerable time, and Dr. Wyman, who had been called to duty in the Navy, but later was deferred until Dec. 1st.

Phil Lehmann, W9LAK, a new member, was interrogated by John Scarvaci. Two movie shorts were then shown.

Meeting adjourned at 9:58 P.M. by motion made by Scarvaci, seconded by Dzidzan.

38 members and 7 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

Les Thelaner Sr, Secy.

accepted 12/2/6

Minutes of the meeting Oct. 26th, 1950

The Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club Inc.

Meeting was called to order at 818 P.M., by Vice-Pres Wollaeger, acting Chairman. Pres. Fred Zolin absent.

The minutes of the Oct 19th meeting were read and accepted.

George Pfister Jr., W9IZQ, speaking for Doug Kluge, Chairman of the contest committee, again announced the ten-meter contest (fone or CW) Oct. 29th, between 10P.M. and 11 P.M. Contest call will be "CQ-MRAC".

Gil Hutchinson, W9FTY, member of membership committee, asked for another member on this committee, since Clarence Wahner, W9YXX, wants to drop out.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, reported field-day committee held a meeting at his home . A committee was appointed for all bands. He announced a field-day would be held at Kletsch Park on Nov. 12th at ten a.m. Any one interested in participating should contact the following committee members:

Russell Greenwood, W9LVR - 40-meter group.
John Kaehler, W9DGB - 80-meter group.
John Scarvaci, W9GIL - fone group.

Laison handling of traffic on 10 and 75 meter fone will also be held.

Jim Douglas, W9DR, gave another interesting talk on his trip to Korea, and with the Naval task force off the coast of Inchong.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, gave a report on the Midwest Div. convention at Des Moines, Iowa.
He informed us from all appearances, we will be permitted to continue using all bands, except probably the 20-meter band.
He advised that the procedure to get a convention in Milwaukee was to get the approval of the Director of this division, then ask for the approval of the A.R.R.L. committee.
The Central Div convention will definitely be held in 1951, in Indianapolis.

Jim Douglas introduced a visitor, Frank Thompson, W8YGA, of Circleville, Ohio.

Travis Baird made a motion to adjourn at 9:55 p.m., seconded by Scarvaci. Motion carried.

30 members and 5 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

Les Thelaner, Sr., Secy.

accepted Nov 2, 1950

Minutes of the Meeting of Nov 2nd, 1950.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club Inc.,

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order at 831 PM by Vice-Pres. Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, Pres. Zolin absent.

Mins + Treas report read + accepted

Geo. Pfister Jr., W9IZQ, speaking for Doug Kluge, Chairman of the contest committee, announced incomplete results of the M.R.A.C. 10-meter contest, held Oct 29th, show Doug Pavek, W9FDX, as leading by 28 contacts. Complete results will be announced at the Nov. 9th meeting.
He also announced the A.R.R.L. Sweepstakes, which will be held Nov. 19th and 20th, also on Nov 26th and 27th. He urged all members to participate. He advised that blank sketches of the new M.R.A.C. mobile unit truck will be sent to all members for individual ideas of insignia to be placed on truck.

Gil Hutchinson, W9FTY, reported 26 new members signed up.

Emil Felber, W9RH, advised the new roster will go To press ~~be distributed~~ in a few weeks. He requested all members to get new membership dues in, so they may have their name in this roster.

Gil Hutchinson interrogated Richard Soref, W9LIC, a new member. Dick is 14 years of age.
Ronnie Kalkhoff, W9EBJ, a new member,was also interrogated by Gil Hutchinson.

Joe Dzidzan, W9SCL, interrogated Jim Flieger, a new member.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, again announced field Day at Kletsch Park on Nov. 12th - rain or shine. Membership will be notified by mail of this event.

Jim Ott, W9LCD, asked the members if they had any tapes for TG10 keyer. He announced code practice will start Tues. Nov. 7th on 29.100 M.C., from eight to nine P.M.. They will be held at this time every Tuesday and Wednesday, and on Fridays from W9LJT at Woodg, Wis.

The acting Chairman introduced Norb Kelly, an old-time member. John Geisinger was also introduced.

The acting Chairman reviewed and explained Ohm's Law problems.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, made a report on the Red Feather Parade movies, which were shown at the Red Arrow Club on Oct 25th.
He announced that mobile rigs will take part in the Marquette Home-coming parade on Nov 8th. Mobile roll-call is held at 9 p.m. on Monday nights, and at ten a.m. on Sunday mornings.

Charlie Kaetel moved to adjourn at ten p.m., Seconded by Joe Dzidzan.

37 members and 7 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

accepted Nov 9th

Minutes of the meeting of Nov 9th, 1950

The Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference Room.

The meeting was called to order at 8:35 p.m., by Vice-Pres Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA. Pres. Zolin absent.

Minutes of the Nov 2nd meeting were ~~accepted~~ READ and ~~read~~ ACCEPTED. The treasurers report was read.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, again announced field day at Kletsch Park on Nov. 12th. He also announced that the M.R.A.C. Field Day committee will conduct a "dry run" on Nov 12th between one and two p.m. Cards announcing both of these events were sent to all members. A report on the mobile unit participation in the Marquette University home-coming parade on Nov 8th was made by Mr. Baird.

Emil Felber, W9RH, announced that Gene Wille, W9EKU, is now located in Oakland Calif. ~~He~~ MR FELBER requested that the members please notify him of any change in address or telephone number.

Jim Douglas, W9DR, asked if any members knew of ~~any~~ A Ham operator leaving near Evansville, Wis., who could work into Japan on 10-meters.

Jim Ott, W9LCD, reported on the code practice on 29.~~100~~MC held on Nov 7th and 8th. He asked for plain language tapes for a TG10 keyer. The Board will endeavor to assist him in locating some tapes.

Tommy Gettelman, W9IZO, asked who would be willing to attend a Cub scout meeting at the Jefferson School on Nov. 22nd and explain radio to the group. accepted the assignment. He also announced that he and Jack Doyle, W9GPI worked Pres. Fred Zolin, who was vacationing in Florida, on 20-meters, Nov 5th. Fred wished to be remembered to the gang.

Herb Baker, W9GSP, gave the group a very interesting ~~report~~ TALK, along with colored slides, of his vacation trip to Mexico last ~~August~~. SUMMER. Herb also conducted the code class between 7 and 8 p.m., in absence of Les Reinmund, W9PTE.

Meeting adjourned at 10:05 p.m., on motion made by Russ Burss, W9RKP, seconded by Gerald Bergemann, W9IDW.

36 members and 9 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

accepted 11/16

Minutes of the meeting of Nov 16th, 1950

The Milwaukee Radio Amateur Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:35 p.m.

Minutes of the Nov. 9th meeting were read and accepted.
The treasurer's report was read.

Communications:
A letter was read from Roy J. Bernier, Chairman Campaign Publicity Committee, Milwaukee County Community Chest 1950 Campaign. He thanked the Club members who participated in "Good Neighbor" parade.

A letter was read from JACK T. WILSON of the Physicist Dept., Allis Chalmers Mfg Co., offering to give a talk before the Club meeting on Dec. 14TH 1950. The proposed subject is THE SIGNIFICANCE OF SOLAR RADIATION IN RADIO TRANSMISSION.
QSO cards were received from W9ANB, Milwaukee, Wis., and W3OHP, Hyattsville, Md, acknowledging QSO's with W9HRM/9 on Nov. 12th.

Gerald Bergemann, W9IDW, gave a report on the Field day held at Kletsch Park on Nov 12th.

Emil Felber, W9RH, asked the members to notify him of any change in address or phone number, as the new roster will go to press shortly. Deadline for any changes is Nov. 30th.

The Old-timers meeting date was discussed. John Scarvici, W9GIL, and Clarence Crapo, W9VD, were appointed by the Chairman to work on it.

Travis Baird elaborated on the Field Day at Kletsch Park on Nov. 12th. 15 members were present. 50 contacts were made on all four bands.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, reported on a meeting held in Chicago on amateur participation in Civilian defense. He also ~~advised~~ STATED a new club is being formed in the Beloit-Janesville area.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, gave a report on the Civil Defense and disaster meeting on Fri., Nov 10th, and commented on an article written about the meeting in the Milwaukee Journal.

The Chairman introduced Rev. Irwin R. Kraemer, pastor of the Church of Resurrection, who is interested in learning Ham radio.

Doug Kluge, W9NKK, gave a report on the Milwaukee County 10-meter contest held on Sunday, Oct 29th.

The winners were: W9FDX - 28 contacts, W9TPT and W9GPI tied for second place with 26 contacts. W9RKP and W9LVR - 25 contacts, and W9GLA and W9GIL - 24 contacts. Certificate awards were made to the winners.
Mr Kluge asked that members participate in the A.R.R.L. sweepstakes on Nov 18th thru 20th, and Nov 25th thru 27th.

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Explanation of the sweepstakes are exolained in the Nov. issue of QST. Mr. Kluge asked the members to submit to him, their score in these sweepstakes.

The Chairman introduced Frank La Londe, W4PBL, of Lakeland Florida, and other visitors.

Doug Kluge stated he had a letter from Harry Easton, [redacted] member, who is now with the A.R.R.L. at West Hartford, Conn. Harry sends his best to the members.

Mr Baird, moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:50 P.M., Seconded by W9LSK. Motion carried.

33 members and 8 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

Pres Zolin conducted the code class in absence of Les Reinmund

accepted Nov 30th

Minutes of the meeting of Nov. 30th, 1950

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.,

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order, by Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:35 P.M.

Minutes of the Nov 16th meeting were read and accepted.

Thomas Herzog was interrogated by Herb Parish, W9CCD.

Mr. Frank G. Karioris, Physics Dept of the Marquette University, was the speaker of the evening, was introduced by the Chairman. The subject was "Electronic Detection of Radio-active Emanations". The Geiger-Mueller counter was explained, and demonstrated. Illustrative slides were shown.

F. D Schunk, W9AFZ, who served as President of the Club in 1928-1929, was introduced by the Chairman.

Travis Baird moved to adjourn the meeting at 955 P.M. Seconded by W9LSK, Motion carried.

Herb Parish, W9CCD, conducted the code class between 7 and 8 P.M., in absence of Les Reinmund.

53 members and 17 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

accepted Dec 14th

Minutes of the meeting of Dec. 14th, 1950

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.,

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference Room.

The Meeting was called to order by Pres. Zolin, W90NY, at 815 P.M.

Minutes of the Nov 30th meeting were read and accepted.

The Treasurers report was read.

Robt. T. Hunteman, W9THN, was interrogated by John Scarvaci.

Mr. Jack T. Wilson, Chief Physicist, Allis-Chalmers Mfg. Co., guest speaker, was introduced by the Chairman. His subject was: "The Significance of Solar Radiation in Radio Transmission". Motion pictures were shown with his talk.

Thomas Gettelman made a report on the progress made on the mobile unit. He also announced a design contest for this unit. Information explaining it will be sent out in the next mailing.

The Chairman introduced visitors at the meeting.

John Scarvaci made a motion to adjourn at 9:45 P.M. Seconded by Gil Hutchinson. Motion carried.

43 members 15 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

Accepted Dec 21st - 1950

Minutes of the meeting of Dec 21st, 1950

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Zolin at 8:35 P.M.

The minutes of the Dec 14th meeting were read and accepted.

A letter from Fritz Franke, of the Hallicrafter Company was read. He offered to give a talk on "noise limiters".

Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, announced the Automobile Show committee has asked the M.R.A.C. to exhibit their mobile unit in the current auto show, which will be held in February.

The Board of Directors' meeting minutes of Oct 2nd, Oct 5th, Oct 12th, and Nov. 7th, were read.

Discussions were held on what the M.R.A.C. could do to help the hams overcome their TVI problems.

Doug Pavek, W9FDX, told of his experiences in licking TVI. He suggested the Club should offer some protection to members. He stated the Club should own some equipment for this purpose.
President Zolin will take it up with the Board.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, suggested the Board form some concrete policy and accept complaints from the members, and help them correct their TVI troubles.

Art Brown, W9EZP, suggested literature or a letter be sent to TV listeners, and explain the various interferences that are caused by other things besides Ham interference.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, explained how the Hams in the Eastern states cooperated with each other to clear the TVI interference.

Harry Barnes explained TVI, caused by Hams are insignificant compared to other sources of trouble.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, Radio Engineer requested a meeting of the 4-man committee to meet with the ~~Police Department Manager~~, Mr. Herb Wareing, W9NY, on January 3rd at the 47th and Vliet police station.

Meeting adjourned on motion made by Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, seconded by Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, at 950 P.M.

21 members and 8 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

approved 1/4/51 P.L.

Old-Timers night was held at the Pabst Brewery on Thursday, Dec. 28th.

President Zolin presented a life membership certificate to Ollie Zander, W9DIJ, then turned over the meeting to Clarence Crapo, W9VD, Old-timers night chairman. Clarence introduced the former Club Presidents who were present.

Slides and moving pictures of the Club's activities in former years were shown, with Charlie Meyer, W9GVL, acting as narrator.

Fred Catel, W9DTK, showed some polaroid slides, taken on a trip to California. He also showed some very interesting "nature-study" slides.

Refreshments were generously served throughout the evening, climaxed by a delicious buffet lunch.

The meeting was adjourned about 11 P.M., when the lights were "turned" out.

About 80 members were present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.
W9S2H

Pre Wyman showed movies of ARRL Field Day Activities

approved
1/4/51
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Minutes of the meeting of January 4th., 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club, Inc.

The meeting was called to order at 8:45 P.M. by President Zolin.

The minutes of the December 21st. and the December 28th. Old Timers Night were read, corrected and approved.

The Treasurers report was read and approved.

The Acting Secretary read a communication from the Kenosha Police Department offering a used Motorola Mobile transmitter for sale. Also read was a letter from Alderman Geo. Ruger dommenting on several questions asked of him by the Board of Directors. The most important item in his letter was permission given to Club members to use the Museum parking lot under certain conditions.

W. C. Price, W9NVQ was presented a life membership certificate by President Zolin.

Tom Gettleman, W9IZO interrogated three new members:
Art Brown, W9EZP
Edw. Seguga, W9LIU
Emmet J. Schoen--Associate membership

President Zolin announced that tentative arrangements had been made for Mr. Franke of the Hallicrafters Corporation to speak on Noise Limiters on January 18th.

The meeting was turned over to a discussion of Emergency Corps. planning and operation. Harold Devendorf led the discussion until Ralph Koenig's arrival. The points covered were as follows: The meeting with the police department was outlined; the group was told of a questionaire to be sent to all Milwaukee County Amatuers in order to inventory equipment; it was urged that all members participate in the program; and, all members were urged to join the ARRL emergency corps.

Tom Gettleman reminded the Club that the deadline for design entries for lettering the Mobile Truck was January 15th in order to have the truck ready for the Auto Show. He also outlined the progress being made on equiping the truck.

Doug Pavlik commented on current operations on mobile.

President Zolin introduced all the guests present.

A resolution was offered by Fred Catel that the Pabst Brewery be sent a letter of thanks for the party given the Club on the Old Timers Night. A suggestion was made the the Club try to obtain the Pabst facilities for next years party. President Zolin said that the Pabst People had already been thanked and that an effort would be made to obtain the facilities for next year.

Louis Wollaeger suggested that additional meetings be devoted to a discussion of TVI problems.

A motion to adjourn was made by Fred Catel at 10:00 P.M. and was seconded by Louis Wollaeger and carried.

There were 32 members and 9 guests present.

Respectfully submitted,

P. S. Lehmann, W9LAK, Acting Secretary

Minutes of the meeting of January 11th, 1951

Read 1/18/51

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Library Conference room.

Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, called meeting to order at 8:45 P.M.

In absence of Secy. Thelaner, Pres. Zolin appointed Tom Gettelman, W9IZO acting secy.

No treasurers report.

Communications were read by the acting Secy., from the following:
Wes. Marriner, W9AND, Director, Central div., A.R.R.L.,
H. D. Hayes, engineer-in-charge, FCC, Chicago, Ill.,
Fritz A. Franke, of the Hallicrafters Co.

Bulletin #191, read by Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, announced a radio program entitled, "What an Industrial Town can do in Civil Defense preparation" at 5:30 P.M. C.S.T., Sat. Jan 13th, 1951., NBC coast-to-coast net-work program, including a recording of a simulated emergency communications conducted by amateurs in Manchester Conn.

Board of Directors' meetings of Dec. 5th, 1950, and Dec. 11th, were read.

Clarence Crapo, W9VD, commented on the old-timers night.
No other committee reports.

Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, announced that Doug Pavek, W9FDX, accepted the assignment to handle the TVI filters which have been ordered from Eldico. These filters are to be loaned to members for temporary experimental use.

Tom Lowe, new member, was interrogated by Fred Katel, W9DTK.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, reported on the progress of the parking lot behind the museum.

Jim Douglas reported on the late arrivals, in Milwaukee, of the January, 1951 QST. Fred Zolin, W9ONY, however, had his, and from it, read an article of interest to us on page 45 & 48 regarding the mobile activities of the MRAC, including a picture. This information was sent in to QST by Chas Kaetel, W9SNK, which Pres. Zolin acknowledged with thanks.

There being no further old or new business, Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, called on technical chairman, Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, to give a talk on TVI. This was most enlightening, and several members questioned the speaker.

Pres. Zolin introduced the three visitors:
Mr. C. Equitz, W9HCU,
Herb Grey, W7MMI and
Robert Rudie.

Fred Katel, W9DTK, moved, and Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting at 10 P.M.

33 members and 3 visitors present,

Respectfully Submitted, Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, Actg. Secy.

Minutes of the meeting of January 18th, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.,

Held at the Milwaukee Library Conference room.

Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, called the meeting to order at 8:20 P.M.

The minutes of the Jan. 11th meeting were read and accepted.

No Treasurers report.

Communications read: by radio from
A bulletin received over W1AW, which was issued by the FCC, announcing the proposed amateur emergency bands in event of wartime amateur shutdown,
A letter from the Chicago Civil Defense committee, announcing a meeting of amateurs in Chicago, on Fri. Jan 26th, at 8 P.M.

Howard E. Estes, W8ELR, a new member, was interrogated by Tom Gettelman, W9IZO.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, showed the final color design of the mobile unit. He stated the truck is now in the paint shop. It will be exhibited at the Automobile show in the Milwaukee auditorium ARENA beginning Sat Jan. 28th. Mr. Gettelman also showed sample parking cards which will be displayed by members of the club when parking in the museum parking lot on Thursday evenings. He also explained we must follow the instructions closely if we desire to retain this privilege.

The speaker of the evening, Mr. Fritz A. Franke, of the Hallicrafters Co., Chicago, was introduced by Chairman Zolin. His talk was on "Noise Limiters". A sound movie, entitled "The Voice of Victory" was also shown.

Charlie Meyer, W9GVL, made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Fred Catel, W9DTK, at 955 P.M. Motion carried.

59 members and 24 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

Read + accepted
Jan 18th

Minutes of the meeting of Jan. 25th, 1951.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

President Zolin, W9ONY, called the meeting to order at 8:35 P.M.
The minutes were read + accepted.
The treasurers report was read and accepted.

The following communications were read:

A letter from K. M. Hedrick, Actg. Engr. in charge of the F.C.C., stating the club would be placed on the mailing list, and notified when license examinations would be held in Milwaukee.

A letter to George Ruger, W9VWG, from Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, regarding the club use of the Library parking facilities on Thursday evenings.

A letter to Jack Doyle, W9GPI, from Bill Carney of the Carney advertising Agency, commenting on his interview with Bob Heiss on WTMJ-TV, Jan 24th.

A letter from E. J. Sleevi, Pub.Rel. & Personnel, M.C.C.D.C. regarding the training in first-aid for amateurs.

Chas Mouzis, W9UED, a new member, was interrogated by Jack Doyle.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, announced he received a letter from Reno Goetsch SCM advising that Clarence Wahner, W9YYY, had resigned as Sectional Emergency Co-ordinator. Ted Kennedy, W9UFX, Madison, Wis., was appointed to fill this vacancy.

Mr. Koenig also stated he had received a card from Mr. Kennedy stating 29.62 MC would be used as the state emergency frequency. Any contacts they may make with the Milwaukee County Emergency Corps amateurs will be made on the Milwaukee County emergency frequency of 29.64 MC.

Mr. Koenig reported that the amateurs would not officially participate in the test taking place, Sun. Jan 28th. The sirens would be tested only. However, the amateurs would participate in the next test. We will be given advanced notice on what will be required.

Clarence Crapo, W9VD, offered the cooperation of the Shorewood emergency station on any tests or drills which will be held.

There being no further old or new business, the Chairman called on Jack Doyle, who spoke on why all amateurs should join the A.R.R.L. He also reported on a meeting held at Houston, Tex, by the membership and Publicity Committee of the A.R.R.L., of which he is Chairman. He announced this committee will endeavor to introduce a new A.R.R.L. magazine, called "QSO", which will be more appealing to the average amateur than the present publication.

The visitors were introduced by the Chairman.

A motion was made by Gil Hutchinson, W9FTY, seconded by Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, to adjourn at 10:00 P.M. Motion carried.

42 members and 5 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner, W9HDW, Secy.

Read + accepted
Feb 1st

Minutes of the meeting of Feb. 1st, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

President Zolin, W9ONY, called the meeting to order at 8:30 P.M.

The minutes were read and accepted.

The treasurer's report was read and accepted.

The following communications were read:
A.R.R.L. bulletin received by radio from W1AW by Al Krones, W9UIT, regarding an order in docket 9295, which pertains to new amateur regulations.
A news item received over the Associated Press networks, and a story published in the Milwaukee Journal on Feb. 1st, regarding the above order, was also read.

Wes Marriner, W9AND, Central Division Director, from Dixon, Illinois, was introduced by the Chairman. He asked that all amateurs write him of their opinions so that he will know how to vote at the A.R.R.L. meeting in May. Questions were asked of Mr. Marriner, with discussions from the floor.

John Gerard, W9NEM, a new member, was interrogated by Tommy Gettelman, W9IZO.

The Chairman announced because of our visitor this meeting, the Emergency Corps meeting would be held Thursday, Feb. 8th.
Clarence Wahner, W9YYY, announced that a report on the Chicago Amateurs' meeting, held on Jan 26th, would be made at the next meeting.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, asked if Harold Devendorf, [redacted], would provide a map showing the positions of the sub-stations and mobile units in case of a bomb burst. Mr. Devendorf will provide the map and hang on the meeting room wall. He advised however, that because of the possible "dead-spots" which will be found when tests will be made from these present locations, the positions will change from time to time.

The Chairman reported that Bob Hartness, W9GZR, will talk on emergency power plants on Feb. 15th.

The Chairman also announced that the A.R.R.L. DX sweepstakes would be held on Feb. 9th-11th and Mar. 9th-11th for CW, and on Feb. 16th-18th and Mar. 16th-18th for 'phone.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, made a motion to adjourn at 9:58 P.M., seconded by John Scarvaci, W9GIL. Motion carried.

33 members and 6 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

Minutes of the meeting of Feb. 8, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting was held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

President Zolin, W9ONY, called the meeting to order at 8:25 P.M. In absence of Secy. Thelaner, the chairman appointed Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, actg sec. The minutes of the Feb. 1st meeting were read and accepted.

Pres. Zolin read a letter received from Ellis Saxton, W9UMX, regarding the Fox Point emergency station.

Frank Arpic W9GKS, and John Moriarity W9LFP, were interrogated by Hugh Wilson, W9NAV.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, said that an emergency test would be held Feb. 19th, 1951, from 8 to 9 P.M.

Ellis Saxton, W9UMX, was appointed by Ralph Koenig, SEC, as emergency coordinator for Fox Point.

Henry ~~Herman~~ Barnes, W9CDY, gave a report on the different departments of Civilian Defense. He stated that out of 300 cards sent out, he received 158, which are to be screened by the police department to see whether they would be suited for the different assignments.

Bob Lathrop, W9LJV, made a report on amateur operation regarding Civilian defense and the type of equipment to be used, using emergency power. He mentioned that Waukesha would be one of the big mobilization points outside of Milwaukee city. He also brought out that in a real emergency the amateurs would have to train civilians to help along in receiving and transmitting.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, asked the membership for more members who had mobile equipment to join the group, as more are needed right along.

Mr. Hoffman was introduced to the Club. He is Supt of Communications, Wis. State Traffic ~~Control~~ patrol.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, gave a report on docket 9295 given by Commrs. Henock and Sterling of FCC.

W9DIJ moved the meeting be adjourned, seconded by John Scarvaci, W9GIL, at 10:03 P.M. Motion carried.

37 members and 11 visitors present. — see Feb 15 mins.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, acting Secy.

Read at meeting Feb 15th

Minutes of the regular meeting of Fe. 15th, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.,

The meeting was held at the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

President Zolin, W9ONY, called the meeting to order at 8:15 P.M.

The minutes of the Feb. 8th meeting were read, corrected and accepted.

The Treasurer's report was read.

Bulletin 279, received by mail from A.R.R.L. headquarters, pertaining to new FCC regulations effective Mar. 1st, was read.

A news item from the Chicago Tribune of Feb. 9th, regarding two amateurs on the West coast who delayed a battle in Korea because of the QRM they inflicted on an army unit, was read.

Russ Burss, W9RKP, read a bulletin received by radio from A.R.R.L. station, W1AW, pertaining to new FCC regulations.

John Jacobson and Art Strege, new members, were interrogated by the Chairman.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, Milwaukee County Emergency Co-ordinator, reminded the members of the test to be run Feb. 19th on 29.640 m.c. between 8 P.M. and 9 P.M.
Mr. Koenig also announced new log sheets will be issued to mobile units, which will simplify the procedure of logging stations worked.

The following amateurswere appointed as assistant emergency co-ordinators by Mr. Koenig.:

Jack Doyle, W9GPI;
Lynn Lewis, W9UH, for Greendale;
Jackie Topp[illegible], W9AYX, for 10-meter fixed stations;
Joseph Blair Jr., W9GIP;
Fred Zolin, W9ONY;
Charles Kaetel, W9SNK, for mobile units;
Ellis Saxton, W9UMX, for Fox Point;
Mr. Estes, W9ELR, 10-meter mobile units ~~of~~ FOR Fox Point;
Gil Hutchinson, W9FTY, for White Fish Bay;
Robert Lathrop, W9LJV for Waukesha.

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Bob Harkness, W9GZR, the speaker of the evening, was introduced by the Chairman. His talk was on emergency power plants. A motor-generator unit was demonstrated. The talk was well received, and from the questions asked Mr. Harkness by the members, great interest was shown.

The meeting was adjourned at 10:15 P.M. on motion made by John Scarvaci, W9GIL, seconded by Will Herzog, W9LSK. Motion carried. Special permission was granted by the Library officials to extend the closing time to 10:30 P.M., for this meeting only.

47 members and 13 visitors present.

Read - Feb 22-1951

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Feb. 22, 1951.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

The meeting was held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Zolin, W90NY, at 8:20 P.M.

The minutes of the Feb. 15th meeting were read and accepted.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, reported an increase in the number of mobile units. and stated he expects to have a most of the mobile amateurs signed up in the Mobile Club by spring.

guest speaker, Mr. Ringland M. Krueger, of the Amphenol Company, Chicago, was introduced by the Chairman. The title of his talk was "Transmission Lines and the Amateur". Questions were asked Mr. Krueger by the members.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, introduced an XYL, , W5ZV, of New Orleans, who was in Milwaukee with the Hamid-Morton Shrine Circus.

Motion was made by Herb Parish, W9CCD, seconded by Oliver Zander, W9DIJ, to adjourn at 9:58 P.M. Motion Carried.

65 members and 14 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Read Mar 1st

Minutes of the regular meeting of Mar. 1, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

The meeting was held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order at 8:25P.M. by Pres. Fred Zolin, W9ONY.

Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, was appointed acting Secretary by the Chairman, in absence of Secy. Thelaner.

Kenneth Eggert received his ticket, his call is W9MOT. James C. Flieger likewise became a licensed amateur, getting the call W9MOV.

The Chairman read a letter regarding Amateur license plates for their cars.

The minutes of the Feb. 22nd meeting were read and accepted.

Pres. Zolin turned the meeting over to Vice-Pres. Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, as he was to be on a television program later in the evening to comment on Amateur Radio.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, E.C., called on Harold H. Devendorf to report on Civilian Defense set-up. Mr. Devendorf defined a sketch drawn on the blackboard designating it as an atom bomb burst. He explained the different parts of the drawing, and covered in detail the functions of the numerous command posts. He also showed a map of Milwaukee County, showing the Emergency Corps stations. He gave the signal reports of the stations reporting in on the Emergency net. Another signal report check will be made on Mar. 4th at 8 P.M. from the Greendale, W9UH. The Shorewood Emergency station W9DR, is now W9IH. Mr. Devendorf answered questions that were asked by the membership. Mr. Koenig told of the different identifications that would be given to the Amateur Radio Emergency Corps operators by the Civilian Defense organization. He also explained how the Amateur Emergency Corps would help if the Telephone Company services were disrupted.

Clarence Wahner, W9YYY, commented on the fact that the Radio amateurs will have to come through in case of a didaster and make good, or there would be no more amateurs in the future.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, read parts of a letter he received from Washington D.C., pertaining to the facts stated by Mr. Wahner.

Jack Doyle introduced Fred Patti, W9JIE, of the Hamfesters Club, Chicago. He invited the Club to participate in their next Hamfest.

Louis Wollaeger brought his TV receiver to the meeting and the Club watched Bob Heise of WTMJ-TV interview Pres. Zolin. Pres. Zolin explained the operations of the Amateur Radio Emergency Corps mobile equipment.

Motion was made by Bob Lathrop, W9LJV, and seconded by Travis Baird, W9VQD, to adjourn. Motion carried and meeting adjourned at 9:57 P.M.

48 members and 8 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

Read Mar 8th - 1951

Joe J. Dzidzan, W9SQL, acting Secy.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Mar. 8th, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting held at the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:25 P.M.

The minutes of the March first meeting were read, corrected and accepted.

The minutes of the Board of Directors' meeting of Jan 10th were read.

The following communications were read by the Chairman:
Letter from Harry Paston, W1DJV, Asst. Secy. of A.R.R.L., West Hartford, Conn., explaining how the interference with the Army in combat duty in Korea, was caused by two West-coast amateurs.
A letter from Fred Edwards, W1DJC, Technical Advisor of Manchester Civilian Defense Committee, Manchester, Conn.
Letter from F. W. Ziegenhagen, Principal of Boys' Tech High School, inviting the Club to their open-house, Mar 16th, 7P.M.-9:45 P.M.
Letter to Chairman Zolin from George Mayer, Wis. Legislature Senate chamber, pertaining to Amateur license bill. also
Letter from Mr. Clayton, W9OVO, Sawyer, Wis./regarding the Amateur license bill, ~~before the Legislature at Madison.~~ introduced in the assembly, Madison

The following new members were interrogated by Tom Gettelman, W9IZO:
Martin Zavodnik, W9BPR
Stanley T. Grabski
Barney Nawn, W9LBV

The Chairman explained the new Amateur Automobile license bill, and asked all members to write the following legislature members by Thurs. Mar. 15th, at which time the bill comes up for hearing before the state Highway Committee, at Madison:
Hon. Reuben La Fave, State Assemblyman, Oconto, Wis.
Hon Roy H. Sengstock, State Assemblyman, Marinette, Wis.
Hon Fred F. Katon, Senator, Greenbay.
He also requested all members to write their State Senator and Assemblyman.

Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, told the membership of attending a meeting of the Wisconsin Valley Radio Club at Wausau, on Mar 7th. He stated Ben Sternberg, Secretary, advised him their Club will do all possible to get the license bill passed.

The Chairman called the attention to a story in March 8th Milwaukee Journal which told of the fine work Milwaukee's Amateur, Geo. Halper, W9SUF, was doing in handling messages from the boys in Korea. Mr. Halper, who was present, was introduced to the members.
guest speaker
Jim Douglas, W9DR, was introduced to the members. He showed colored slides taken during his trip to Korea last Fall.
The Club extends its thanks to Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, who obligingly brought to the meeting, and operated his projector during this talk.

Meeting adjourned at 9:59 P.M., on motion made by Russ Burss, W9RKP, Seconded by Will Herzog, W9LSK. Motion carried.

46 members and 15 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner, Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Mar. 15, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:25 P.M.
Joe Dzidzan, W9SQL, was appointed actg Secty., in absence of Secty. Thelaner
The minutes of the meeting of March 8th, 1951, were read and accepted.

The following correspondence was read by the Chairman:
A.R.R.L. bulletin #283.
A letter from the Wisconsin Valley Radio Assn.
A letter from John Huntoon, W1LVQ, asst. Sec. A.R.R.L., West Hartford, Conn.
A letter from Russ , at Wausau Wis.
A wire from Ruben La Fave, Madison, Wis., stating that the Radio Amateur license plate bill was favored to pass Legislative Highway Committee/7 to 2.
hearing
Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, received a letter from the Bowman Dairy Co., regarding amateur radio installations at the various plants. Tommy also commented on his trip to Madison, with some other members, to attend the hearing on the license plate bill. He explained how the bill would proceed through the different departments.

Emil Felber, W9RH, received a letter from Assemblyman Michael F. O'Connell, Milwaukee County, stating the fact that he was in favor of the bill and would vote for it. Emil also received a card from Reuben La Fave, saying he would give his fullest support to the bill.

Harold Devendorf commented on some information he had from Henry . regarding the license plates for the Club's mobile unit.

The Chairman received a letter of thanks in behalf of the Club from the Milwaukee Civil Defense and disaster Committee.

A new member, Woodley C. Blackwell Jr., was interrogated by Gil Hutchinson, W9FTY.
Mr. Hutchinson also read a proposed change in the constitution regarding the election of officers, and procedure of election.

Harold Devendorf suggested that the proposal read by Hutchinson be written in the Hammateur Chatter bulletin.

Eugene Wille, W9EKU, gave a report on the progress of the radio gear being installed in the Club's mobile unit.

Harold Devendorf offered his services to the Club to make prints of the different wiring diagrams of the equipment in the mobile unit.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:38 P.M. on motion made by Gil Hutchinson, and seconded by Will Herzog, W9LSK.

34 members and 6 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

Joseph J. Dzidzan, W9SQL.

Read + accepted
3/27/51

Minutes of the regular meeting of Mar. 22nd, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting held at the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:25 P.M.

Jim Douglas, W9DR, was appointed acting Secretary by the Chairman, in absence of Secy. Thelaner.

The minutes of the meeting of March 15th were read and accepted.

The following communications were read by the Secretary:
An invitation from the Wisconsin Valley Radio Association.
Official A.R.R.L. bulletin number 284.
A message regarding license plates from Mr. Tappen, Madison.

The Chairman and Jack Doyle, W9GPI, gave reports on the progress, to date, of the license plate bill.

The Chairman described the request of The Boys' Club for assistance in establishing a ham station at the Boys Club.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, reported that the Field Day committee would meet on Fri. March 30th at his home. Field Day participants were invited to attend.

Charlie Kaetel, W9SNK, reported on the progress with the mobile unit.

A motion was made by Hutchinson, , seconded by J. Doyle, W9GPI, nominating John Scarvaci, W9GIL, as assistant Director to Wes Marriner, W9AND. Motion Carried.

A general discussion and description of the local ten-meter nets was held.

Ken Eggert, W9MOT, was appointed Chairman of the Membership committee, and all members were urged to invite new amateurs to come to the Club meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:57 P.M., on motion made by Will Herzog, W9ISK, and seconded by Thomas Herzog. Motion carried.

36 members and 11 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jim Douglas, W9DR, Acting Secy.

Minutes of the regular meeting of Mar 29th, 1951

Read 4/5

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Meeting was held at the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 832 P.M.

The minutes of the March 22nd meeting were read and accepted.

The Treasurer's report was read.

Harold Bartell, new member, was interrogated by Travis Baird, W9VQD.

The Chairman read the application for membership of Karl O. Pearson, W9HXE, of Chicago. Mr. Pearson is with the Newark Elec. Co., of Chicago.

Communications read:
Official bulletin #285, A.R.R.L., dated March 21st, 1951, asking amateurs to make a study of aurora borealis effects above 50 m.c.
Letter from Donald J. S. Merton, W2UOL, of Eldico, Douglaston, L.I., N.Y., to Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, advising the filters ordered by the Club have been shipped.
Letter from John Huntoon, W1LVQ, Asst Secy., A.R.R.L., advising Mr. Handy, Communications Manager, will speak to the Club on April 19th.
A letter from Phil Laeser, with WTMJ radio station, to the Chairman, confirming the date of April 26th meeting at Radio City auditorium, and a tour through the building.
A letter to Bruno Plitzko, from Wm A. Schmidt, Senator 6th district regarding the amateur license plate bill #450A.
A letter to Emil Felber, W9RH, from Senator Schmidt regarding same bill.
A.R.R.L. official bulletin #286, dated March 29th, advising traffic may now be handled with Liberia.

The Chairman informed the membership that Tom Gettelman foned him advising that the license Bill 450A had passed the assembly.
which will be
Jack Doyle, W9GPI, advised the procedure/used by the State Senate in handling this bill.

Travis Baird stated the Governor of Nevada has signed the license bill in Nevada,
Jack Doyle said the amateur license bill was defeated in Oregon.

The Chairman stated he was invited to a short meeting at the Boys' Club on Mon., April 2nd. He will make a report at the next meeting.

Travis Baird announced the Field Day committee would meet at his home Friday, March 30th.

Gil Hutchinson, W9FTY, gave a report of the Constitution and by-laws committee and explained a letter was being sent to each member showing the proposed changes of the constitution and by-laws.

Harold Devendorf reported on the progress made in obtaining a municipal license for the mobile unit.

Travis Baird advised DX was terrific on 75 meters, Wednesday March 28th.
Fred Zolin stated he has made some very good contacts on 20-meters c.w.
Doug Pavek, W9FDX, reported on the 10-meter band. He stated it was open on Wed. Mar 28th.

Sheet two - mins of reg. meeting, Mar 29th, 1951.

Jim Ott, W9LCD, made a report on the progress of the code practice on 29.1 m.c., Tuesday and Wednesday evenings from 8 to 9 P.M.

Jack Doyle informed the members of the Hamfest, which will be held at Wausau on April 21st at 8 P.M. A number of Milwaukee Amateurs plan to attend.

The Chairman announced that the FCC amateur radio examinations would be held at the Post Office Bldg, in Milwaukee, on April 11th.

George Pfister, W9IZQ, explained the scientific studies being made above 50 m.c.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:47 P.M., on motion made by John Scarvaci, W9GIL, and seconded by Jack Doyle, W9GPI. Motion Carried.

40 members and 10 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Minutes of the regular meeting of April 5th, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 835 P.M.

The minutes of the March 29th meeting were read and accepted.

Fred Catel, W9DTK, informed the members that the Navy Department has approved the use of all Navy gear at the Naval Reserve training center to radio amateurs, on Friday evenings and on Saturdays and Sundays. He suggested that a committee be appointed to be responsible for the members, and to make arrangements with Naval officials.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, was appointed Chairman of the above committee. He was directed to pick the other committee members.

It was decided that open-house would be held at the Naval Reserve training center, for all Club members, on Sunday afternoon, April 15th.

The Chairman advised the members that while the main purpose of this meeting was to act on the passing or rejecting of the proposals to amend the constituion and by-laws of the Club, as recommended by the committee appointed for this purpose, if time permitted, emergency problems would be taken up.
The Chairman also explained, due to an error and misunderstanding, the proxies that were mailed to the members on March 30th, failed to show that these proxies must be signed by the members. Because of this, a number were returned unsigned. He stated the members should decide if they desired to accept these unsigned proxies to make up the quorum needed to act on the above proposal.

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Dohrman McMillin, W9CUJ, made a motion, seconded by Fred Catel, "To put before the membership the question if the unsigned proxies should be accepted." 56 in favor, 12 opposed. motion carried.
Eugene Wille, W9EKU, asked to go on record opposing the motion.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, suggested action be taken here and letter and proxy be sent to members explaining what action was taken at the meeting.

Clarence Crapo, W9VD, suggested that all voting be done by mail.

Harold Devendorf suggested we accept the proxies subject to protest within 30 days, as according to Roberts Rule of Order.

Fred Catel made a motion: "Amended articles, as presented by the committee, be accepted." Travis Baird seconds.
Fred Catel withdraws his motion, and Travis Baird withdraws his second.

Frank J. Seboth makes an amendment to the motion made by Dohrman McMillin,: "Subject to protest within 30 days." Seconded by Clarence Wahner, W9YYY.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, makes an amendment to the amendment; "If 56 votes or more are in favor of the proposed amended articles of Incorporation, set up by the Committee, there should be no protest. Dohrman McMillin Seconds. 43 in favor, 12 opposed. amendment to the amendment lost.

Jack Doyle requests to withdraw from the Constitution committee because of criticism by the membership for questioning the committee's and officers integrity.

Charles Kaetel, W9SNK, requested to go on record in favor of the proposed changes in the constitution, but wants to see it done in a legal manner.

The Chairman stated new proxies will be sent to members with request they sign said proxies.

Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA, suggested cards be sent asking the members to vote "yes" or "no" on the proposed amended articles.

The chairman overruled all previous motions and amendments.

Thelaner made the motion; "That new proxies, with explanatory letter or note, be sent to all club members, to be signed, also to show if in favor or opposed to proposed amended articles of incorporation. proxies to be returned for the next meeting." Emmanuel Irving, W9GQO, seconds. Motion carried.

Jack Doyle made a motion to recess until next meeting, Thursday, April 12th. Herbert Parish, W9CCD, seconds. Motion carried. Meeting recessed at 10:18 P.M.

69 members and 11 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Read 4/5

Minutes of the meeting of April 12th, 1951

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library conference room.

The meeting was called to order by Pres. Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:05 P.M.

The minutes of the April 5th meeting were read and accepted.

James Haworth, new member, was interrogated by Tom Gettelman, W9IZO.

Communications:

A letter from the Kenosha Radio Communications Assn inviting members to attend a hamfest on April 15th.
A.R.R.L. bulletin NR 287, dated April 6th, announcing TV program featuring Amateur Radio on the Faye Emerson ~~program~~ SHOW April 16th through 19th.

Wesley Correll, W9FY, and Harold Devendorf were appointed by the Chairman to count the proxies returned by mail, ~~expressing the members' opinion~~ VOTING YES OR NO if the proposed amended articles of incorporation of the club should be accepted.
Art Brown, W9EZP, stated he had talked to Commander Gatti, who offered to talk before the Club of his forthcoming expedition. Commander Gatti also offered to show some films.
The Chairman offered his thanks, and stated if there was an open meeting date before the season closed we would accept Commander Gatti's generous offer.

Commander H. R. Reis, W3ERS, formerly of Milwaukee, now residing in Paoli, Penn, and Lillie M Tyndall, W3FED, was introduced to the members by the Chairman.

The Chairman announced that the license plate bill was progressing satisfactorily in Legislature.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, announced the Hamfest at Wausau on April 21st. He stated a number of Milwaukee amateurs plan to attend. This program is sponsored by the Wisconsin Valley Radio Assn.

Art Brown, W9EZP, told the members he met Paul La Valle, Director of The Band of America, a radio program sponsored by the City Service Company. It was his opinion that this band and program could be brought to Milwaukee and suggested the Club sponsor a Hamfest centered around this band.

Vern Fabishak, W9HDH, made a report of the visit he and the Chairman ~~had~~ MADE at the Boys Club.

Ellis Saxton, W9UMX, inquired what action was taken on a proposal made by him some time ago, for the Club to foster amateur radio in Boy Scouting.

Si Wysocki, W9DOS, stated he is working on this project.

Fred Catel, W9~~TDK~~ DTK, announced the open house, and a tour through the building at the Naval Training Center, on Sunday April 15th.

Ted Kennedy, ECM, of Madison was introduced by the Chairman. Mr Kennedy told of the fine work members of the Club, and other amateurs throughout the state, are doing in getting the license plate bill passed through legislature. He stated he had heard unofficially this bill was favorably accepted by Senate Executive Committee after the hearing before this committee on April 18th.

Tom Gettelman also made a few comments on the Senate hearing.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, reported on the Field Day meeting.

Members of this committee are: Eugene Wille, W9EKU; Ken Eggert, W9MOT; W9[illegible]; John Koehler, W9DGW.

John Koehler will be in charge of 20-meters cw; Allen Reid, W9LID, 40-meters cw; Travis Baird, 75-meters fone; Wille, truck and equipment on 10 and 20 meter fone. W. C. Blackwell will be in charge of cooking.
Mr. Baird announced there will be a dry run prior to field day.

Vic Tresidder, W9TQ, asked about 2 and 6 meters being used on field day. Baird will take under consideration at next field day meeting.

Emil Felber, W9RH, Treasurer, announced there are 226 voting members. There were are a total of 147 members voting either by proxy or in person. This being the majority of the total membership, the Treasurer announced "We can now proceed to vote on the proposed articles."

Tom Gettelman [illegible] "We proceed with the election." Paul Leeb seconded. motion carried.

The Chairman asked for a standing vote of all members in favor of the proposed amended articles of incorporation.

Ellis Saxton made a motion "that a unanimous ballot be cast on motion made by Gettelman. Saxton withdraws his motion.

Russ Burss, W9RKP, objected to the procedure of balloting.

Paul Leeb, explained the procedure necessary to make the vote legal.

Frank Seboth made a motion "that we vote by roll call from the attendance sheet." Doug Pavek seconded. Motion carried.

54 members present at the meeting voted in favor of adoption of the proposed articled of incorporation.

Total of proxies returned - 97; one proxy void; one proxy no indication; 95 proxies were cast and accepted. 92 proxies for the proposal, 3 against the proposal.
Total number of members voting either by proxy or in person - 149.
146 in favor of the proposal, 3 against.

Tom Gettelman made a motion, "that Paul A. Leeb be instructed to proceed with the recording and filing with the Secretary of State, the amended articles of organization." John Scarvaci, W9GIl, seconded. motion carried.

Ellis Saxton made a motion "Commending the committee, Board of Directors, and Mr. Leeb on the action taken, and the work done on these changes of the Constitution." Herb Parish, W9CCD, seconds. Motion carried.
The meeting was declared informal at 9:25 P.M. for spl bd of dirs. meeting.
Called to order again at 9:35 P.M.
The Chairman announced the nominating committee report must be made on May 10th.

Doug Pavek, W9FDX, stated Kenosha, a new amateur Club, has a contest on Sunday, April 15th. They are asking for ideas on how to start a club. Mr. Pavek also announced that the TVI equipment had been delivered to his home. These filters are available to all club members.

Herb Parish, W9CCD, made a motion to adjourn, seconded by ART Brown. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:55 P.M.

55 members and 9 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., Secy.

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Minutes of the meeting of April 19th, 1951.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:20 P.M.

The minutes of the April 12th meeting were read, corrected and accepted.

The Chairman introduced Francis (Ed) Handy, Communications Manager of the American Radio Relay League, West Hartford, Conn, guest speaker. His talk was on Amateur Radio in Civil Defense. Question were asked Mr. Handy following his talk.

The Chairman announced the Club's April 26th meeting would be held at the WTMJ-TV auditorium. Mr. Phil Laeser, Manager of Radio and Television Engineering for WTMJ will be the guest speaker. Mr. Laeser and his staff will conduct a tour through the station after the meeting.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, invited the members to indulge in some refreshments and lunch at the Gettelman Brewery Rathskeller room, 44th and State Streets, after the meeting.

John Scarvaci, W9GIL, made a motion to adjourn, seconded by Tom Gettelman. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:58 P.M.

55 members and 14 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G/ Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

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Minutes of the meeting of April 26th, 1951.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Radio City WTMJ-TV auditorium.

The meeting was called to order by President Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 815 P.M.

A film was shown of the Faye Emerson Tv program, featuring an interview of two radio amateur operators and an actual demonstration of a mobile communications network in action.

The Chairman announced there would be a special mobile meeting in the auditorium, following the meeting, for all members who would participate in the Mac Arthur day celebration on April 27th.

The Chairman then dispensed with all further business and introduced Mr. Phil Laeser, Manager of Radio and Television Engineering for WTMJ. Following a short talk, Mr. Laeser and his staff conducted the members through the WTMJ-TV station.

Jim Ott, W9LCD, made a motion to adjourn, seconded by John Scarvaci, W9GIL, Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 10:15 P.M.

67 members and 23 visitors signed the attendance record. Estimated attendance was about 125.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner, sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Read 5/3/51

Minutes of the meeting of May 3rd, 1951.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

Held at the Milwaukee Public Library Conference room.

The meeting was called to order by President Fred Zolin, W9ONY, at 8:15 P.M.

The minutes of the April 19th and April 26th meetings were read and accepted.

Communications:
A.R.R.L. official bulletin nr. 290, asking amateurs to make frequencies 3700 to 3900 mc. available for military maneuvers in South from Aug. 6th to Sep. 7th. NOTE
An ~~announcement~~ from Radio Station WISN, asking for two men to make vacation reliefs during the summer months.
From the Milwaukee Sentinel asking the mobiles to participate in the Soap-Box ~~parade~~. DERBY,
The Chairman read the applications for non-resident membership of Ted Kennedy, W9UFX, Madison, Wis., and H. J. Bowman, W9HI, East Troy, Wis.

W9JCV, W9FPI and W9ILR, members of Kenosha's newly formed Club, were introduced by the Chairman.

Art Brown, W9EZP, inquired if the club was going to answer the Milwaukee Journal's editorial regarding license plates. The Chairman stated he had a letter written explaining our stand.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, Milwaukee County co-ordinator, was introduced by the Chairman.
Mr. Koenig advised the amateurs would participate in the Army Day parade on May 19th.
He also read a letter from The American Red Cross stating space has been provided at Mt. Mary College for emergency headquarters should the regular Red Cross center is put out of commission.
Mr. Koenig also stated all amateurs who answered the letter sent out by the police department have been screened and will soon be called to have picture taken and fingerprinted.
A report made by Ellis Saxton, W9UMX, of signal strength tests made in the Fox Point area, was shown to the members.

Emil Felber, W9RH, ~~stated the emergency frequency of 29.620 mc. was heard by the FCC for emergency communications throughout the country.~~ DESIGNATED De suggested we move ~~our emergency~~ net to 29.500. Discussions were held on this subject.
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Harry Barnes gave a report of a Civil Defense meeting and a hypothetical bombing in Chicago on April 18th.

The Chairman read a report from Charles Kaetel, W9SNK, Mobile Chairman, on the Mac Arthur Day activities.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, stated the drivers of the mobile cars in the Mac Arthur motorcade from the state-line, were the unsung heroes, as it was necessary to travel at times at the speed of 70 miles per hour, with only a 30 feet space between cars.

Tom Gettelman, W9IZO, stated the value of mobile car duplication proved its worth in this motorcade, when his receiver failed because of a blown fuse.

Travis Baird, W9VQD, explained the rig he used to relay messages from the mobile cars to the control center during the Mac Arthur motorcade trip into Milwaukee.

Mr. Baird also reported on the progress being made for field day.

Geo Pfister Jr., W9IZQ, stated there would be a 10-11 meter fone and cw contest, Sunday May 6th from 9 to 10 P.M. Instructions and log sheets were mailed to the members.

The Chairman stated he received a Civil Defense alert on April 26th at 12:19 P.M.

Eugene Wille, W9EKU, reported on the progress being made in getting the club's mobile unit in operation. He inquired where the inker for the Club's keyer could be located. Ralph Koenig will check and see if can find it. The Chairman read a letter to be sent to the Journal in answer to their editorial regarding the license plates.

Louis wollaeger, W9ANA, made a motion to adjourn. Seconded by Emil Felber, W9RH. Motion carried. adjourned at 958 P.M.

44 members and 5 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner, W9HDW, Secy.

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF MAY 10TH, 1951

THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS' CLUB INC. rec'd 5/17

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT FRED ZOLIN, W9ONY, AT 8:15 P.M.

THE MINUTES OF THE MAY 3RD MEETING WERE READ, CORRECTED AND ACCEPTED.

COMMUNICATIONS:

ARRL BULLETIN NR. 289 - STATING THE FCC PROHIBITS COMMUNICATIONS WITH JAVA, SUMATRA, NETHERLAND WEST INDIES, FRENCH INDO CHINA, IRAN, PERSIA, SIAM, LEBANON, JAPAN AND AUSTRIA (EXCEPT ALLIED OCCUPATIONAL FORCES).

NOTE FROM WES CORRELL, W9FY, OFFERING ABOUT 15 YEARS OF ISSUES OF "CQ" AND "QST" MAGAZINES FREE.

RALPH KOENIG, W9RUF, ASKED WHY DIDN'T ~~THE CLUB~~ WE ACCEPT THEM FOR A CLUB LIBRARY. HE OFFERED TO KEEP THEM UNTIL THE CLUB HAS SPACE. THE CHAIRMAN ACCEPTED THE OFFER.

CHARLES KAETEL, W9SNK, SUGGESTED WE CONTACT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY ON THE POSSIBILITY OF GETTING THEM BOUND OR OFFERING TO FILL IN ANY ISSUES THE LIBRARY LACKS. THE CHAIRMAN STATED HE WOULD CHECK WITH THE LIBRARY OFFICIALS.

LETTER FROM THE INTERNATIONAL SHORT-WAVE CLUB, LONDON, ENGLAND.

LETTER FROM HARRY PASTON, W1DJV, ASST SECY ARRL, WEST HARTFORD, CONN., REGARDING THE CALL LETTER LICENSE PLATES.

A BULLETIN FROM THE BLACKHAWK EMERGENCY AMATEUR RADIO SERVICE, JANESVILLE, WIS., WAS SHOWN THE MEMBERS.

LETTER FROM DON S. DE WITT, W9JXY, CONGRATULATING THE CLUB FOR THE HAMATEUR CHATTER ISSUE HE RECEIVED.

LETTER FROM WES MARRINER, W9AND, ARRL DIRECTOR FOR CENTRAL DIVISION, THANKING THE CLUB FOR THEIR NOMINATION OF JOHN SCARVACI, W9GIL, AS ASST. DIRECTOR.

LETTER FROM FRED J. BUHLMAN OFFERING FOR SALE, A BC348 RECEIVER.

A NEW ITEM FROM THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE, STATING THE SPECIAL CALL LETTER LICENSE PLATE BILL HAD BEEN APPROVED BY THE ILLINOIS SENATE HIGHWAYS AND TRAFFIC REGULATION COMMITTEE, BY A VOTE OF 10 TO 1.

LETTER FROM HARRY PASTON, ASST SECY, ARRL, WEST HARTFORD, COMMENTING ON THE AMATEUR INTERFERENCE IN KOREA.

THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES FOR THE YEAR OF 1951-52 ELECTION OF CLUB OFFICERS:

PRESIDENT- FRED H. ZOLIN, W9ONY.
1ST VICE PRES.- TRAVIS BAIRD, W9VQD.
2ND VICE PRES.-ELLIS SAXTON, W9UMX.
SECRETARY- ARTHUR BROWN, W9EZP.
TREASURER- LYNN LEWIS, W9UH.
DIRECTORS: JOHN DOYLE, W9GPI; JOE DZIDZAN, W9SQL; THOMAS GETTELMAN, W9IZO CHARLES KAETEL, W9SNK; RALPH KOENIG, W9RUF; DOUGLAS PAVEK, W9FDX; GEORGE PFISTER JR., W9IZQ; JOSEPH STEVENS, W9GAH; L. G. THELANER, W9HDW; EUGENE WILLE, W9EKU; JOHN SCARVACI, W9GIL, LOUIS WOLLAEGER, W9ANA. EMIL FELBER, W9RH

ART BROWN STATED HE HAD BEEN INFORMED COMMANDER GATTI IS NOW IN NEW YORK UNDERGOING A SERIOUS OPERATION. HE WILL BE UNABLE TO SPEAK AT A CLUB MEETING IN MAY.

GEORGE PFISTER JR. ADVISED THE MEMBERS, BECAUSE OF THE DELAY DUE TO MAIL SERVICE, HE WAS UNABLE TO MAKE A REPORT ON THE 10-11 METER CONTEST WHICH WAS HELD SUNDAY, MAY 6TH. HE STATED FROM THE TABULATIONS MADE SO FAR, ABOUT 41 STATIONS PARTICIPATED. THE HIGHEST NUMBER OF CONTACTS MADE WERE BETWEEN 29 AND 30.

ART BROWN MADE A REPORT ON THE PROPOSED OPEN-HOUSE PROGRAM WHICH WILL BE HELD THIS SUMMER.

CHARLES KAETEL, MOBILE CHAIRMAN, STATED MEMBERS OF HIS UNIT WOULD PARTICIPATE IN TWO PARADES THIS MONTH, THE ARMED FORCES PARADE ON MAY 19TH, AND THE MEMORIAL DAY PARADE, MAY 30TH. HE ADVISED THE MEMBERS HE HAD APPLICATION CARDS FOR THE CIVIL DEFENSE AND DISASTER COMMITTEE, IF ANY MEMBERS DESIRED TO JOIN THIS ORGANIZATION. HE ALSO HAD A SUPPLY OF MOBILE QUESTIONAIRES FOR MEMBERS WHO HAD NOT YET JOINED THE MOBILE CORPS.

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FRED CATEL, W9DTK, INQUIRED WHY THE/MOBILE UNIT COULD NOT BE BROKEN IN, SO IT COULD PARTICIPATE IN THESE PARADES.

MR. KAETEL REPLIED THERE WAS ONLY 58 MILES ON THE TRUCK TO DATE. THE REASON WHY NO MORE MILEAGE HAD BEEN MADE WAS BECAUSE THE LICENSE AND INSURANCE WAS PLACED ON THIS UNIT ONLY TWO WEEKS AGO. IT WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE TO PUT THE REQUIRED MILEAGE ON IT BEFORE THE PARADE DATES.

TRAVIS BAIRD, FIELD-DAY CHAIRMAN, REPORTED THERE WOULD BE A FIELD-DAY MEETING ON MAY 18TH AT HIS HOME. CARDS WILL BE SENT TO THE MEMBERS.

NORM KROHNE, W9SKF, READ A BULLETIN FROM W2NSD, RECEIVED OVER AMATEUR RADIO TELETYPE ON 3790 TO 3810 MCS. W2NSD ASKS FOR CARDS FROM ANYONE WHO HEARD TESTS FROM HIM. NORM STATED AMATEUR TELETYPE WAS USED ON 2-METERS, AND SEVERAL NETS WERE OPERATING SUCCESSFULLY.

FRED CATEL SAID THIS TELETYPE SYSTEM WAS AVAILABLE FOR USE BY AMATEURS, UNDER PROPER SUPERVISION, AT THE NAVAL TRAINING CENTER.

LOUIS WOLLAEGER COMPLIMENTED MR. KROHNE FOR BRINGING THE TELETYPE SETUP BEFORE THE MEMBERS AND SUGGESTED WE ASK HIM TO GIVE A TALK ON THIS SUBJECT AT A LATER DATE.

DISCUSSIONS WERE THEN HELD ON THE AMATEUR RADIO TELETYPE SYSTEM.

FRANK SEBOTH SUGGESTED A COMMITTEE BE ORGANIZED TO KEEP THE CLUB ADVISED ON PROGRESS BEING MADE ON THE TELETYPE HOOKUP. THE CHAIRMAN APPOINTED EUGENE WILLE AND NORM KROHNE ON THIS COMMITTEE.

HERBERT PARISH, W9CCD, WAS PRESENTED WITH HIS LIFE MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE BY THE CHAIRMAN.

THE CHAIRMAN STATED THE "XYL" NIGHT, WHICH WAS TO BE HELD ON MAY 17TH, WOULD BE POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT YEAR, WHEN WE WILL TRY TO GET ACCOMMODATIONS AT THE BLATZ BREWERY AUDITORIUM.

JIM DOUGLAS, W9DR, TOLD OF AN INCIDENT HE WITNESSED, WHILE IN GUAM, WHEN AN AMATEUR OPERATOR "QRMED" AIRPORT RADIO CONTACTS, FORCING FIVE PLANES TO STAY IN THE AIR UNTIL THIS AMATEUR WENT OFF THE AIR.

JOHN SCARVACI MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN, SECONDED BY WILL HERZOG, W9LSK. MOTION CARRIED. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:55 P.M.

39 MEMBERS AND 5 VISITORS PRESENT.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

L. G. THELANER SR., W9HDW, SECY.

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF MAY 17TH, 1951

THE MILWAUKEE RADIO AMATEURS' CLUB INC.

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT FRED ZOLIN, W9ONY, AT 8:25 P.M.

THE MINUTES OF THE MAY 10TH MEETING WERE READ AND ACCEPTED.

THE TREASURER'S REPORT WAS READ.

THE CHAIRMAN READ A BULLETIN FROM ARRL, WEST HARTFORD, CONN., DATED MAY 14TH, REPORTING ON THE ANNUAL DIRECTORS MEETING WHICH WAS HELD ON MAY 11TH-12TH. THE JUNE ISSUE OF "QST" WILL CARRY A FULL AND DETAILED REPORT OF THIS MEETING.

THE CHAIRMAN ADVISED THE MEMBERS, HE CALLED THE MILWAUKEE PUBLIC LIBRARY REGARDING THE "CQ" AND "QST" ISSUES DONATED BY WES CORRELL, W9FY. THE LIBRARY OFFICIAL GRACIOUSLY ACCEPTED THE CLUB'S OFFER AND WILL CONTACT MR. CORRELL.

PAUL LEEB, W9TKY, THE CLUB'S ATTORNEY, ADVISED THE CHAIRMAN THAT THE AMENDED ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION ARE IN ORDER, AND HAVE BEEN RECORDED WITH THE REGISTRAR OF DEEDS.

THE CHAIRMAN REPORTED DON MERTON, W2UOL, OF THE ELDICO COMPANY, HAS INVITED ALL CLUB MEMBERS TO A LUNCHEON AND REFRESHMENTS, FOLLOWING THE MEETING ON MAY 24TH, AT MOSERS, 2140 WEST LISBON AVENUE.
HE ALSO STATED THE SUPPER AT MILLER'S BREWERY ON MAY 31ST, WOULD START PROMPTLY AT 6 P.M. IT IS IMPORTANT THE MEMBERS RETURN THE CARDS, MAILED TO THEM, AS ONLY 100 RESERVATIONS COULD BE ACCEPTED, BECAUSE OF LACK OF SPACE.

ART BROWN, W9EZP, REPORTED COMMANDER GATTI IS NOW IN NEW YORK AND WILL BE UNABLE TO RETURN TO WISCONSIN BEFORE HIS NEXT EXPEDITION. HE SENDS REGARDS TO THE CLUB MEMBERS.

TRAVIS BAIRD, W9VQD, FIELD-DAY CHAIRMAN, STATED THERE WOULD BE A MEETING AT HIS HOME, FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 18TH.

CHARLES KAETEL, W9SNK, MOBILE CHAIRMAN, INQUIRED WHO WOULD TAKE PART IN THE PARADES THIS MONTH. HE ASKED THOSE INTERESTED, TO ATTEND A SHORT MEETING FOLLOWING THE REGULAR MEETING. HE STATED THE MOBILE UNITS WOULD MEET AT THE GETTELMAN BREWERY AT 1 P.M., FOR THE ARMED FORCES PARADE ON MAY 19TH.
HE ALSO ADVISED THE MOBILE TRUCK'S EQUIPMENT WAS BEING TESTED, AND IF ANY MEMBERS WERE CONTACTED TO PLEASE HAVE PATIENCE WHEN THEY ARE ASKED TO ASSIST IN MAKING THESE TESTS.

TRAVIS BAIRD REPORTED HE HAD HEARD OVER THE 75-METER NET THAT THE LICENSE PLATE BILL WAS "ON THE FENCE". IT IS NOT KNOWN WHETHER THE GOVERNOR WILL SIGN IT OR NOT.

THE CHAIRMAN INTRODUCED MR. DARBO AND MR. MARSHALL OF THE BURGESS BATTERY COMPANY, WHO ASKED THE MEMBERS IF THEY WOULD ASSIST THIS COMPANY IN TRYING TO OBTAIN PATENT RIGHTS ON THE DESIGN OF THEIR PRODUCT, BY REPORTING TO THEIR OFFICE AT 720 NORTH PLANKINTON AVENUE, BETWEEN 9 A.M. AND 3 P.M. ON MAY 18TH, WHERE A GOVERNMENT PATENT ATTORNEY WILL CONDUCT AN INTERVIEW TO DETERMINE IF THEIR COMPANY'S SPECIAL DESIGN ACTUALLY IS A MEANS OF IDENTIFYING THE PRODUCT.

THE CHAIRMAN STATED THE NEXT ORDER OF BUSINESS WOULD BE THE NOMINATIONS OF OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS FOR THE YEAR OF 1951-52.
HE ASKED FOR NOMINATIONS FOR PRESIDENT. THERE BEING NONE, CHARLES MEYER, W9GVL, MADE A MOTION THAT THE NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENT BE CLOSED. SECONDED BY OLIVER

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ZANDER, W9DIJ. MOTION CARRIED. FRED H. ZOLIN, W9ONY, CANDIDATE FOR PRESIDENT, UNOPPOSED.
1ST VICE-PRESIDENT:
RUSSELL BURSS, W9RKP, NOMINATED JOHN SCARVACI, W9GIL - SCARVACI DECLINED.
JOHN SCARVACI NOMINATED EMIL FELBER, W9RH - FELBER DECLINED.
THERE BEING NO FURTHER NOMINATIONS, THE CHAIRMAN DECLARED NOMINATIONS CLOSED.
TRAVIS BAIRD, W9VQD, CANDIDATE FOR 1ST V.P., UNOPPOSED.
2ND VICE PRESIDENT:
LES THELANER, W9HDW, NOMINATED KENNETH EGGERT, W9MOT.
THERE BEING NO FURTHER NOMINATIONS, THE CHAIRMAN DECLARED NOMINATIONS CLOSED.
CANDIDATES FOR 2ND V.P.: ELLIS SAXTON, W9UMX; KENNETH EGGERT, W9MOT.
SECRETARY: THERE BEING NO NOMINATIONS, CHARLES MEYER MADE A MOTION TO CLOSE NOMINATIONS FOR SECRETARY, SECONDED BY GIL HUTCHINSON, W9FTY. MOTION CARRIED. ARTHUR BROWN, W9EZP, CANDIDATE, UNOPPOSED.
TREASURER:
THERE BEING NO NOMINATIONS, THE CHAIRMAN DECLARED NOMINATIONS FOR TREASURER BE CLOSED. LYNN LEWIS, W9UH, CANDIDATE, UNOPPOSED.
DIRECTORS:
LES THELANER WITHDRAWS HIS NAME FROM THE LIST OF DIRECTORS BROUGHT IN BY THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE.
JAMES FLIEGER NOMINATED JAMES OTT, W9LCD.
MARY MEYER NOMINATED JACKIE TOPPE, W9AYX - DECLINED.
EMIL FELBER NOMINATED OLIVER ZANDER, W9DIJ - DECLINED.
TOM GETTELMAN, W9IZO, NOMINATED GIL HUTCHINSON, W9FTY - DECLINED.
TRAVIS BAIRD NOMINATED NORMAN KROHNE, W9SKF - INELIGIBLE.
CANDIDATES FOR DIRECTORS:
JOHN DOYLE, W9GPI; JOE DZIDZAN, W9SQL; THOMAS GETTELMAN, W9IZO; CHARLES KAETEL, W9SNK; RALPH KOENIG, W9RUF; DOUGLAS PAVEK, W9FDX; GEORGE PFISTER JR., W9IZQ; JOSEPH STEVENS, W9GAH; EUGENE WILLE, W9EKU; JOHN SCARVACI, W9GIL; LOUIS WOLLAEGER, W9ANA; EMIL FELBER, W9RH AND JAMES OTT, W9LCD.
AL VEED MADE A MOTION, NOMINATIONS FOR DIRECTORS BE CLOSED, SECONDED BY OLIVER ZANDER. MOTION CARRIED.

THE CHAIRMAN READ A CORRECTION MADE IN THE CONSTITUTION REGARDING THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

EMIL FELBER STATED ALL MEMBERS MUST HAVE A CALL, AND BE A MEMBER OF THE ARRL, TO RUN FOR OFFICE.

GIL HUTCHINSON MADE A MOTION THAT NOMINATIONS BROUGHT IN BY THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE BE ACCEPTED. LOUIS WOLLAEGER, W9ANA, STATED THE MOTION WAS OUT OF ORDER - MOTION WITHDRAWN.
MR WOLLAEGER MAKES A MOTION TO OFFER OUR THANKS TO THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE. JOHN SCARVACI SECONDS. MOTION CARRIED.

THE CHAIRMAN STATED THE ANNUAL MEETING WOULD BE HELD MAY 24TH. A LETTER WOULD BE SENT TO THE MEMBERS WITH A BALLOT ENCLOSED.
FRED CATEL, W9TDK, REPLIED BALLOTS SHOULD NOT BE MAILED TO MEMBERS, AS EXTRA BALLOTS MIGHT BE PLACED IN THE BALLOT BOX. ALSO, INEGIBLE MEMBERS MIGHT CAST THEIR BALLOT.
LES THELANER SUGGESTED A LIST OF NAMES OF THE CANDIDATES BE SENT IN THE LETTER ONLY. THE CHAIRMAN STATED THIS WOULD BE DONE.

THE CHAIRMAN ASKED THE MEMBERS TO INTRODUCE THEIR XYLS, WHO WERE PRESENT AT THE MEETING.

JACKIE TOPPE, W9AYX, TOLD OF SOME OF HER EXPERIENCES ON THE AIR. THE CHAIRMAN COMPLIMENTED HER, AND THE OM, GEORGE TOPPE, W9QFL, ON THE FINE ARTICLE WRITTEN ABOUT THEM AND AMATEUR RADIO IN THE MILWAUKEE JOURNAL ON MAY 13TH.

MARY MEYER, AND ARMANDO HUAMAN, OA4BL, OF LIMA PERU, COMMENTED ON THE MANY CONTACTS JACKIE HAD MADE FOR THEM OVER THE AIRWAYS.

RALPH KOENIG, W9RUF, COUNTY EMERGENCY CO-ORDINATOR, STATED JACKIE TOPPE, AS THE 10-METER COORDINATOR, WAS DOING A FINE JOB.

MR HUAMAN TOLD OF SOME OF HIS EXPERIENCES AS AN AMATEUR IN PERU. HE ALSO TOLD OF AN EXPERIENCE SEVERAL OF HIS FELLOW AMATEURS HAD IN LIMA, WHEN THEY HELPED AN EXPEDITION FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, WHO WERE LOST IN THE JUNGLES OF PERU, GET BACK TO CIVILIZATION. HE EXPLAINED THE LICENSE CLASSIFICATIONS, AND REQUIREMENTS TO OBTAIN A LICENSE IN PERU.

DOUGLAS PAVEK, W9FDX, STATED HE EXHIBITED HIS MOBILE RIG AT THE VOCATIONAL SCHOOL. HE OFFERED TO ASSIST ANY MEMBER WHO WOULD DISPLAY THEIR EQUIPMENT BEFORE ANY ORGANIZATION.

LOUIS WOLLAEGER ADVISED THE MEMBERS THAT FRED CATEL, LONG-TIME MEMBER, HAD BEEN PROMOTED TO CAPTAIN IN THE UNITED STATES NAVAL RESERVES.

RUSSELL BURSS MADE A MOTION TO ADJOURN, SECONDED BY EMIL FELBER. MOTION CARRIED. MEETING ADJOURNED AT 9:55 P.M.

70 MEMBERS AND 15 VISITORS PRESENT.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

L. G. THELANER, W9HDW, SECY.

Minutes of the Meeting of May 24th, 1951.

The Milwaukee Radio Amateurs' Club Inc.

The meeting was called to order by President Fred Zelin, W9ONY, at 8:30 P.M.

The minutes of the May 17th meeting were read and accepted.

The Chairman introduced Don Merton, W2UOL, and two visitors with him, Gerard De Bussey, FP8HW, and Harry Breese, W2UXY.

The Treasurer read the annual Treasurer's report.

The Chairman read a letter from Wisn, on behalf of the five radio stations and a Wisconsin radio network, consolidated for Mac Arthur Day, thanking the Club for their cooperation, and for the fine job done by the Mobile group.

The Chairman stated the next order of business was the election of officers and directors for the year of 1951-52, there being a quorum of 58 members present.

Ellis Saxton, W9UMX, asked the members to vote for his opponent, Kenneth Eggert, W9MOT, as 2nd Vice-president.

Fred Catel, W9DTK, made the motion, "That a unanimous ballot be cast for Fred H. Zelin, as President; Travis Baird, W9VQD, as 1st Vice-President; Arthur Brown, W9EZP, as Secretary; Lynn Lewis, W9UH, as treasurer." (The above candidates unopposed). Russell Burss, W9RKP, seconded. Motion carried.

The Chairman appointed Phil Lehmann, W9BAK, Charles Wittkopp, W9GLA, and Raymond Perscheck, W9LJU, as tellers.

Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, reported on a meeting held Tuesday, May 22nd, in which the mobile group and the fixed station group agreed on the following emergency frequencies.

Fixed group will use 29.450 to 29.550 mcs.
Mobile group will use 29.550 to 29.650 mcs
Frequency used by both groups for calling will be 29.500 mcs.
Calling frequency for fixed group will be 29.500 mcs.

Norman Krohne, W9SKF, stated Russell Greenwood, W9LVR, was operating as a portable "6", on 40-meters from Ft Mac Arthur Calif. Russ would like to contact some of the Club members.

Jack Doyle, W9GPI, reported the license plate bill had been signed by the Governor on Tuesday, May 22nd. He requested we give this very little publicity, as the Governor signed it over his wishes, as the Governor felt the signing of this bill would set a precedent for license plate bills now pending in Legislature. Mr. Doyle asked the members not to flood the State Vehicle Dept with inquiries as to when the plates could be obtained, but to wait until advised by the Badger Club Council. He advised the members to respect the new license plates, as "we as citizens are set aside as a police officer"."This is not a privilege, and should not be used as such." He stated we can lose these new license plates as quickly as we received them, since this cannot be considered permanent.

The elections results were:
For 2nd Vice-President - Kenneth Eggert, W9MOT - 53 votes
Ellis Saxton, W9UMX - 10 "

For Directors:

Thomas Gettelman, W9IZO	- 57	Ralph Koenig, W9RUF	- 28
Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA	- 46	John Searvaci, W9GIL	- 25
John Doyle, W9GPI	- 44	Joseph Dzidzan, W9SQL	- 24
Emil Felber, W9RH	- 39	James Ott, W9LCD	- 22
Douglas Pavek, W9FDX	- 43	Geo. Pfister Jr., W9IZO	- 21
Charles Kaetel, W9SNK	- 51	Joseph Stevens, W9GAH	- 18
		Eugene Wille, W9EKU	- 17

The Chairman declared the Following Officers and Directors elected for the year of 1951-52:

President - Fred H. Zolin, W9ONY
1st Vice-President - Travis Baird, W9VQD
2nd Vice-President - Kenneth Eggert, W9MOT
Secretary - Arthur Brown - W9EZP
Treasurer - Lynn Lewis, W9UH

Board of Directors:
Thomas Gettelman, W9IZO; Louis Wollaeger, W9ANA; John Doyle, W9GPI - who will serve for two years.
Emil Felber, W9RH; Douglas Pavek, W9FDX; Charles Kaetel, W9SNK - who will serve for one year.

The Chairman read an article from the Constitution which states that the first past-president is automatically Chairman of the Board, Therefore Ralph Koenig, W9RUF, will preside as Chairman for the year of 1951-52.

Don Merton gave a short talk. He complimented the Club on their mobile unit. He also stated he desired to make the get-te-gether for luncheon and refreshments an annual affair, following the radio parts convention. He offered his cooperation if we plan in the future to place VHF equipment in the mobile unit.

Girard De Birn, FP8AW, was introduced again. He Told of an expedition he was planning to Clipperton Island, about 1000 miles off the Mexican coast, where an amateur radio station will be set up for experimental purposes. He congratulation Doug Pavek for his 100th dx contact made with Mr. De Birn.

George Pfister Jr reported on the 10-meter contest winners. The winners were:

Charles Wittkopp, W9GLA	- 29	contacts
Frank Maiorana, W9TPT	- 27	"
Thomas Gettelman, W9IZO	- 26	"
W9MGT	- 25	"
Paul Hoecher, W9NQH	- 24	"

Mobile standings:

John Searvaci, W9GIL	- 20	"	tie.
Douglas Pavek, W9FDX	- 20	"	
Eugene Wille, W9EKU	- 19	"	
Gerald Bergemann, W9IDW	- 17	"	
Kenneth Eggert, W9MOT	- 14	"	

Read May 31st

Mr. Pfister said Lester Reinmund, W9TTE, had a good position with 17 or 18 contacts as a mobile station. However his log was incomplete therefore he was disqualified.

Sheet three- Minutes M.R.A.C. Inc Meeting, May 24th, 1951

The following statistics were tabulated:
42 stations participated - 13 mobiles
Maximum power: 500 watts, Minimum: 8 watts. Average power 60 watts.
88% A.M., 10% F.M., 2% no designation.
40% 2, 3 or 4 element beams.

Travis Baird stated 24 members attended the field-day meeting at his home on Friday evening, May 18th. He invited all members to attend field-day, and operate. He stated however, since the meeting would held on private property he asked all members attending, to use caution and respect this property. He stated they would operate 10 and 20 meters, if conditions permit; 40 cw and 80 cw and fone. The mobile unit would be used.

Norman Krohne, W9SKF, inquired if anyone heard strange signals on 29.66 mcs Wednesday, May 23rd. He stated these signals were from a teletype station using frequency shift key.

Travis Baird stated subscriptions were taken to form a teletype syndicate, The purpose is to purchase a teletype machine and accessories so Norm Krohne can set up a station and experiment in the interest of the members. $70 has already been collected. $90 is required as a minimum.

Fred Catel will take pictures of the Field-day activities.

Charles Kaetel made a motion to adjourn, seconded by John Scarvaci. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:55 P.M.

70 members and 5 visitors present.

Respectfully Submitted,

L. G. Thelaner Sr., W9HDW, Secy.

Read May 31